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## VIA EMAIL AND USPS

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Mr. Russell Crosby Director Retirement Services City of San Jose Police and Fire Department Retirement Plan 1737 North First Street, Suite 580 San Jose, CA 95112-4505

Re: Cost of Improvement in Continuance Benefit Under Proposed 3% Per Year of Service Police Benefit Formula

## Dear Russell:

In our letters to the Plan dated February 27, 2008 and May 27, 2008, we provided the costs associated with providing a retirement benefit to the Police members based on a 3% of final average salary (FAS) per year of service (after 20 years of service) with a maximum of 90% of FAS paid to the member. The only difference between the two letters was that in the February 27, 2008 letter, we assumed a maximum spouse/domestic partner continuance benefit of 45.0% of FAS but in our May 27, 2008 letter, the maximum spouse/domestic partner continuance benefit was assumed to be 42.5% of FAS.

The Plan has asked us to isolate the increase in cost due to the increase in the continuance benefit from 42.5% to 45.0% under the 3% of FAS formula for the member.

The results, calculated by taking the difference in the rates provided in the two letters, are as follows:



3% of FAS Formula for Member	(1) 45.0% Continuance Benefit (Based on 2/27/08 Study)	(2) 42.5% Continuance Benefit (Based on 5/27/08 Study)	(1)-(2) 2.5% Continuance Benefit
Increase in Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$28,606,000	\$27,861,000	\$745,000
Change in Actuarial Value of Assets	\$0	\$0	\$0
Increase in Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)	\$28,606,000	\$27,861,000	\$745,000
Increase in Employer UAAL Rate (% of Payroll*)	1.64%	1.59%	0.05%
Increase in Employer Normal Cost Rate (% of Payroll*)	1.02%	1.00%	0.02%
Increase in Total Employer Rate (% of Payroll*)	2.66%	2.59%	0.07%
Increase in Employee UAAL Rate (% of Payroll*)	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Increase in Employee Normal Cost Rate (% of Payroll*)	0.38%	0.37%	0.01%
Increase in Total Employee Rate (% of Payroll*)	0.38%	0.37%	0.01%

<sup>\*</sup> Estimated payroll for plan year 2007-2008 is \$148,905,245 for the Police group

In reviewing the above rates for the cost of an increase in the continuance benefit by 2.5% of FAS, the Plan should be reminded that they have been calculated using the 3% of FAS formula proposed for the Police group. The cost of the continuance benefit under a formula other than the 3% of FAS formula will be different.

If you have any questions, please let us know.

Sincerely,

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